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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Applicant : Mary Katherine Robinson et al.
Serial No. : 09/250,834
Filed : February 16, 1999
For : CRUNCHY CHEWING GUM
Examiner : Arthur L. Corbin
Art Unit : 1761
Confirmation No. : 2533
Attorney Docket No. : 5079D1-07-LA

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: MAIL STOP PETITION, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313-1450

ON October 23, 2006

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October 23, 2006

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF 21 DECEMBER 2004

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action of 21 December 2004. Applicants have filed concurrently herewith a Petition to Revive along with the requisite Petition Fee and submit the following response to the Office Action.